(*b*) Ten.

(*c*) and (*d*) They keep the college buildings and compound clean and do menial work in the laboratories. They also do the duties of night watchmen.

Reparation to People who suffered loss on account of Drift Timber in the Pampa River.

96. MR. M. R. MADHAVA VARIAR (*Chengannur* cum *Pattanamtitta*) : Will the Government be pleased to state whether they intend to make any reparation to private owners who were damnified by the impact of trees during the floods at the end of last year ?

MR. R. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*) : The answer is in the negative.

Castewar Return of Appointments and Roman Catholics.

97. THE REV. FR. KURIAKOSE VETTIKKAPALLI (*Todupuzha* cum *Kunnatnad*) : (*a*) Has a circular been recently addressed to Heads of Departments requiring them to submit to Government a quarterly castewar list of the appointments made by them ?

(*b*) What are the different classes mentioned in the circular according to which the castewar list should be prepared ?

(*c*) Is it a fact that, according to that circular, the Roman Catholic community is not to be considered as a separate body, and, if so, will the Government be pleased to issue orders providing a separate column for the Roman Catholic community in all their castewar lists ?

MR. R. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*) :

(*a*) The answer is in the affirmative.

(*b*) Brahmins, Nayars, Ezhavas, other Caste Hindus, Christians, Mahomedans and other classes.

(*c*) The answer to the first part is in the affirmative. The question of treating the Catholic community as a separate class is under examination.

Opening of a Magistrate's Court at Parur.

98. MR. A. GOVINDA MENON (*Alangad* cum *Parur*) : Will the Government be pleased to state whether they are aware that considerable hardship is being felt by the people of the Parur taluk owing to the absence of a Magistrate at Parur ?

MR. R. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*) : The answer is in the negative.

Refusal of Contribution to Madanapalle Tuberculosis Sanatorium.

99. MR. N. PADMANABHA PILLAI (*Karunagapalli*) : (*a*) Will the Government be pleased to state whether the authorities of the Tuberculosis Sanatorium at Madanapalle applied for pecuniary help from the State ?

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